

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**
TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

DOCKET NO. 364/56B	APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 09/372,636	EXAMINER Kevin P. KERNs	ART UNIT 1725
INVENTOR(S): Wolfgang HÖRNSCHEMEYER et al.		Conf. No. 1684	

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This is a **request for continued examination** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (RCE) of pending application Serial No. **09/372,636**, filed on **August 11, 1999**, entitled **LIQUID-COOLED CASTING DIE**.

The following constitute the submission **required** by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is attached:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment	08/06/2004 CCHAU1	00000147 110600	09372636
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement	01 FC:1801	770.00 DA	
<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing Changes	08/06/2004 CCHAU1	00000147 110600	09372636
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Submission	02 FC:1251	110.00 DA	

1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA	RATE (\$) PER CLAIM	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE						770.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	13		20	0	18.00	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2		3	0	86.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						
				*Number extra must be zero or larger	TOTAL	770.00
If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.						SMALL ENTITY TOTAL

2. Please charge the required RCE and submission filing fee of **\$770.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
3. Applicants respectfully request a **one-month extension of time** in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated April 7, 2004, for which a response period expiring on July 7, 2004 was set. The extended period expires on August 7, 2004. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of **\$110.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees, including any additional and/or extension fees required, associated with this communication or to credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
5. A duplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

KENYON & KENYON

Dated: August 4, 2004

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Amendment

S I R:

Pursuant to the filing of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE), please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper and include two replacement drawing sheets.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.